HEATSINKING OF OPTICAL SUBASSEMBLY AND METHOD OF ASSEMBLING

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Abstract

An optical transceiver has a housing, a circuit board, an optical subassembly and a heat wick. The circuit board is configured to be received within the housing. The optical subassembly has a can and a barrel, and the optical subassembly is mechanically supported on the housing and electrically coupled to the circuit board. The heat wick is thermally coupled between the can of the optical assembly and the housing.